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Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
Department of Natural Resources
Office of Conservation
P. O. Box 94275
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9275

RE: Siph Davisi Zone, Reservoir A
GRAND CHENIERE FIELD
Cameron Parish, Louisiana

Dear Sir:

Application is hereby made on behalf of Hilliard Petroleum, Inc. to the Commissioner of Conservation for the calling of a public hearing, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Siph Davisi Zone, Reservoir A, in the Grand Cheniere Field, Cameron Parish, Louisiana.

1. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Siph Davisi Zone, Reservoir A, in the Grand Cheniere Field, Cameron Parish, Louisiana.
2. To create a single drilling and production unit for this sand and to force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the unit so created.
3. To designate a unit operator and a unit well for the unit so created.
4. To provide that any well drilled outside of the Siph Davisi Zone, Reservoir A, shall be in accordance with the spacing provisions of Statewide Order No. 29-E.
5. To provide that the Commissioner may reclassify the Reservoir by supplemental order and

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In addition to furnishing the legal notice to all Interested Parties, the applicant will provide for POSTING of the legal notice of the hearing and unit plat in a prominent place in the area of the Grand Cheniere Field, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, and will cause the legal notice of the hearing to be PUBLISHED in a newspaper of general circulation published in the vicinity of the Grand Cheniere Field, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, at least fifteen (15) days before the hearing date.

Any pertinent data relating to the subject application can be obtained, **AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY**, from Leon E. Comeaux & Associates, P. O. Box 53922, Lafayette, Louisiana 70505, (337)233-9839.

In compliance with the Rules of Procedure, a preapplication conference was held in Lafayette, Louisiana, on April 23, 2003, at which the parties named on the attached list were in attendance.

The conference was opened with a discussion by Messrs. Leon E. Comeaux and Charley Whipp, representing Hilliard Petroleum, Inc., concerning the nature and purpose of the conference and the bases for the applicant's proposed unit.

Mr. Travis Helms, representing Bonsall, Mhire, Bates and Canik, presented a counterplan. The geographic unit was \pm 365 Acres in size with the well centered within the unit.

Mr. Brian Angelle, representing Huron Exploration, stated that he owned a portion of those leases included in the Bonsall, etal unit and was willing to work with Hilliard if the acreage were included in this unit.

There are attached hereto and made a part hereof the plat outlining the proposed unit, the conference attendance list, and a list of the names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties to whom this application is being sent. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, such list of parties is being furnished ONLY to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation. However, said list of parties will be provided to any party requesting a copy. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties.

Finally, there is enclosed our check on behalf of the applicant, Hilliard Petroleum, Inc. in the sum of \$755.00 payable to the Office of Conservation and representing the required hearing application fee.

Sincerely,

LEON E. COMEAUX & ASSOCIATES

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